

Please rewrite Claim 2 as follows:

2. (Amended) The manual input device according to claim 1, further comprising a guide member to define an operation direction of the joystick type knob.

Please rewrite Claim 3 as follows:

3. (Amended) The manual input device according to claim 1, further comprising a control unit that controls the first actuator based on a signal supplied from the first detector and controls the second actuator based on a signal supplied from the second detector, the control unit provided in a box that houses the manual input device.

Please rewrite Claim 4 as follows:

4. (Amended) The manual input device according to claim 1, further comprising a control unit that controls the first actuator based on a signal supplied from the first detector and controls the second actuator based on a signal supplied from the second detector, the control unit provided in an external apparatus.

Please rewrite Claim 5 as follows:

5. (Amended) An onboard instrument control device comprising:  
electric instrument selection switches to select an electric instrument having a function to be controlled; and  
a manual input device to control various functions of the electric instrument selected by use of one of the selection switches, the manual input device comprising a joystick type knob and a rotary knob that are disposed coaxially, a first actuator to load an external force on the joystick type knob, a second actuator to load an external force on the rotary knob, a first detector to detect an operation state of the joystick type knob, and second detector to detect an operation state of the rotary knob.

## In the Abstract

Please rewrite the Abstract as follows:

(Amended) ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A manual input device is provided with a spherical bearing, a joystick type knob held swingably on the spherical bearing, a rotary knob disposed coaxially with the joystick type knob, a first actuator for loading an external force on the joystick